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## SCOPE OF WORK PROVISIONS

FOR

ELECTRICIAN:  
COMMUNICATION & SYSTEM INSTALLER  
COMMUNICATION & SYSTEM TECHNICIAN

IN

ALAMEDA, ALPINE, AMADOR, BUTTE, COLUSA, CALAVERAS,  
CONTRA COSTA, DEL NORTE, EL DORADO, FRESNO, GLENN,  
HUMBOLDT, KINGS, LAKE, LASSEN, MADERA, MARIN,  
MARIPOSA, MENDOCINO, MERCED, MODOC, MONTEREY,  
NAPA, NEVADA, PLACER, PLUMAS, SACRAMENTO,  
SAN BENITO, SAN FRANCISCO, SAN JOAQUIN, SAN MATEO,  
SANTA CLARA, SANTA CRUZ, SHASTA, SIERRA, SISKIYOU,  
SOLANO, SONOMA, STANISLAUS, SUTTER, TEHAMA, TRINITY,  
TULARE, TOULUMNE, YOLO AND YUBA COUNTIES

61-8-7 (No. Cal)

**SOUND & COMMUNICATIONS**

**9<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT AGREEMENT  
&  
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA &  
NORTHERN NEVADA  
ADDENDUM NO. 2**

**Between**

**NATIONAL ELECTRICAL  
CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION  
AND  
INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD  
OF ELECTRICAL WORKERS**

**Effective  
2000 – 2002**

**RECEIVED**

Department of Industrial Relations

**JAN 16 2002**

Div. of Labor Statistics & Research  
Chief's Office

The term "Employer" shall mean an individual firm who has been recognized by an assent to this Agreement.

### **SCOPE**

**(Refer to Addendum for any regional changes)**

**The work covered by this Addendum may be performed within the geographical jurisdiction of the following Local Unions: 6, 100, 180, 234, 302, 332, 340, 401, 551, 595, 617, and 684.**

The work covered by this Agreement shall include the installation testing, service and maintenance, of the following systems which utilize the transmission and/or transference of voice, sound, vision and digital for commercial, education, security and entertainment purposes for the following: TV monitoring and surveillance, background-foreground music, intercom and telephone interconnect, inventory control systems, microwave transmission, multi-media, multiplex, nurse call system, radio page, school intercom and sound, burglar alarms and low voltage master clock systems.

#### **A. SOUND AND VOICE TRANSMISSION/TRANSFERENCE SYSTEMS**

1. Background-foreground music
2. Intercom and telephone interconnect systems
3. Telephone systems
4. Nurse call systems
5. Radio page systems
6. School intercom and sound systems
7. Burglar alarm systems
8. Low-voltage master clock systems
9. Multi-media/multiplex systems
10. Sound and musical entertainment systems
11. RF Systems
12. Antennas and Wave Guide

#### **B. FIRE ALARM SYSTEMS \***

1. Installation, wire pulling and testing

C. Television and Video Systems

1. Television monitoring and surveillance systems
2. Video security systems
3. Video entertainment systems
4. Video educational systems
5. Microwave transmission systems
6. CATV and CCTV

D. Security Systems

1. Perimeter security systems
2. Vibration sensor systems
3. Card access systems
4. Access control systems
5. Sonar/Infrared monitoring equipment

E. COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS THAT TRANSMIT OR RECEIVE INFORMATION AND/OR CONTROL SYSTEMS THAT ARE INTRINSIC TO THE ABOVE LISTED SYSTEMS (IN THE SCOPE)

1. SCADA (Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition)
2. PCM (Pulse Code Modulation)
3. Inventory Control Systems
4. Digital Data Systems
5. Broadband and Baseband and Carriers
6. Point of Sale Systems
7. VSAT Data Systems
8. Data Communication Systems
9. RF and Remote Control Systems
10. Fiber Optic Data Systems

F. This will serve to clarify that the following items are included within the scope of work permitted under this Addendum: J-hooks; Teardrops; Trapezes (ceiling wire with horizontal support – i.e. EMT); Innerduct for VDV on occupied job sites only.”

II. This Agreement specifically excludes the following work:

A. Raceway systems are not covered under the terms of this Agreement (excluding Ladder-Rack for the purpose of the above listed systems). Chases and/or nipples (not to exceed 10 ft.) may be installed on open wiring systems.

B. Energy management systems.

C. Life Safety Systems (all buildings having floors located more than 75 feet above the lowest floor level having building access) in the Northern California, Northern Nevada Addendum No. 2 shall be excluded from this Agreement unless the parties in any area signatory to the Addendum mutually agree that the Sound and Communications portion only of a Life Safety System may be performed under this Agreement. Except in San Francisco, when required by the manufacturers that distribute through authorized dealerships and franchises or required by specification - terminating, programming, testing and start-up may be performed under this Agreement.

D. SCADA (Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition) where not to the above listed systems (in the scope).

E. \*Fire alarm systems when installed in raceways (including wire and cable pulling) shall be performed at the equivalent current Inside wage and fringe rate in those areas where the work is historically performed by Inside Journeyman Wiremen when either of the following two (2) conditions apply:

1. The project involves new or major remodel Building Trades construction.

2. The conductors for the fire alarm systems are installed in conduit.

In those areas where fire alarm systems have historically not been performed by Inside Journeyman Wiremen, such work may be performed under this Agreement.

Prior to the effective date of this Agreement, each Local Union/Chapter jurisdiction shall make a determination of who has historically performed fire alarm work in that particular jurisdiction. When there is a mutual agreement by Labor and Management that the work has historically been

performed and is currently being performed by Inside Wiremen, then the equivalent Inside wage and fringe benefit rate shall be paid on major remodel and Building Trades projects. In those areas where there is no mutual agreement, the technician's rate shall apply. It shall be the responsibility of each individual Local Union/NECA Chapter jurisdiction to make the results of the local determination available to the International Office of the IBEW and to affected employers prior to the effective date of this Agreement.

F. The parties to this agreement recognize that the Scope of Work in this agreement is subject to local addendum; especially in the areas of integrated energy management and life safety systems. In an effort to eliminate confusion regarding the interpretation of the Scope of Work covered by this agreement, the parties hereto agree to establish a Scope Review Committee composed of the following:

**MANAGEMENT REPRESENTATIVES**

2 communication contractors  
2 electrical contractors  
2 NECA Chapter Managers

**LABOR REPRESENTATIVES**

2 senior technicians  
2 electricians  
2 IBEW Business Managers

Members of the Committee shall be selected by the parties they represent. The Committee shall meet at such times as deemed necessary by the parties. The Committee shall select from its membership, but not both from the same group, a Chairman and a Secretary who shall retain voting privileges.

It shall be the function of the Scope Review Committee to consider and review various system technologies and to make recommendations to the parties to this agreement or addendums. The Scope Review Committee is not authorized to interpret this agreement, or addendum's, in the event of a dispute over the Scope of Work. All grievances or questions in dispute shall be adjusted pursuant to Sections 1:06-1:09 of this agreement.

**BASIC PRINCIPLES**

The Employer and the Union have a common and sympathetic interest in both the Sound and Communication and Electrical/Electronic Industries.

## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING - SCOPE OF WORK**

**The San Francisco Electrical Contractors Association, Inc. and Local Union No. 6 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers agree that fire alarm systems as defined on Page 1 of the 9th District Sound & Communications Agreement regarding Scope of Work have historically been performed by Inside Wiremen with the city and County of San Francisco and, therefore, shall be performed, as defined, at the current Inside Wage and Fringe rate. It is further agreed that Life Safety Systems which apply to all buildings having floors located more than 75 feet above the lowest floor level having building access are not fire alarm systems and are not covered by the scope of the 9th District Sound and Communications Agreement. The undersigned agree to review this Memorandum when there is a new Sound and Communication Agreement.**